

## Message Text

CONFIDENTIAL

PAGE 01 CAIRO 13087 180705Z  
ACTION NEA-11

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 SS-15 NSC-05 SP-02 PM-05 CIAE-00  
INR-10 NSAE-00 /049 W  
-----011643 190542Z /10  
R 171539Z MAY 78  
FM AMEMBASSY CAIRO  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 9250

C O N F I D E N T I A L CAIRO 13087

E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: PPDC EG US  
SUBJECT: LETTER FROM PRESIDENT CARTER TO PRESIDENT SADAT

REF: STATE 125073

1. AMBASSADOR DELIVERED TODAY PRESIDENT CARTER'S LETTER TO PRESIDENT SADAT (REFTEL). IN DOING SO, HE EXPRESSED THE APPRECIATION OF PRESIDENT CARTER AND SECRETARY VANCE FOR THE COOPERATION THEY HAD RECEIVED FROM SADAT DURING THE DIFFICULT AND SENSITIVE PERIOD BEFORE MONDAY'S VOTE. AMBASSADOR NOTED THAT SADAT'S SKILLFUL HANDLING OF THE PROBLEM AND HIS LONG-TERM EFFECTIVE EFFORTS TO ESTABLISH GOOD RELATIONS FOR EGYPT WITH THE MEMBERS OF CONGRESS HAD BEEN AN ESSENTIAL ELEMENT IN ITS SUCCESS. THE SENATE VOTE, AMBASSADOR POINTED OUT, IS DRAMATIC VINDICATION OF SADAT PEACE STRATEGY.

2. SADAT WAS PLEASED WITH PRESIDENT CARTER'S LETTER AND GAVE INSTRUCTIONS TO VP MUBARAK THAT A REPLY SHOULD BE PREPARED. AS REPORTED ELSEWHERE, HE SHARED THE GENERAL PLEASURE ABOUT THE SENATE VOTE AND EXPRESSED HIS APPRECIATION FOR THE UNREMITTING EFFORTS OF PRESIDENT CARTER, SECRETARY VANCE AND DEPUTY SECRETARY CHRISTOPHER. HE AGREED THAT THE SENATE VOTE SHOULD HELP THE MIDDLE EAST PEACE PROCESS. EILTS

CONFIDENTIAL

CONFIDENTIAL

PAGE 02 CAIRO 13087 180705Z

CONFIDENTIAL

NNN

## Message Attributes

**Automatic Decaptioning:** X  
**Capture Date:** 01 jan 1994  
**Channel Indicators:** n/a  
**Current Classification:** UNCLASSIFIED  
**Concepts:** DIPLOMATIC COMMUNICATIONS  
**Control Number:** n/a  
**Copy:** SINGLE  
**Draft Date:** 17 may 1978  
**Decaption Date:** 01 jan 1960  
**Decaption Note:**  
**Disposition Action:** RELEASED  
**Disposition Approved on Date:**  
**Disposition Case Number:** n/a  
**Disposition Comment:** 25 YEAR REVIEW  
**Disposition Date:** 20 Mar 2014  
**Disposition Event:**  
**Disposition History:** n/a  
**Disposition Reason:**  
**Disposition Remarks:**  
**Document Number:** 1978CAIRO13087  
**Document Source:** CORE  
**Document Unique ID:** 00  
**Drafter:** n/a  
**Enclosure:** n/a  
**Executive Order:** GS  
**Errors:** N/A  
**Expiration:**  
**Film Number:** D780210-0767  
**Format:** TEL  
**From:** CAIRO  
**Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Image Path:**  
**ISecure:** 1  
**Legacy Key:** link1978/newtext/t19780551/aaaabqxb.tel  
**Line Count:** 55  
**Litigation Code IDs:**  
**Litigation Codes:**  
**Litigation History:**  
**Locator:** TEXT ON-LINE, ON MICROFILM  
**Message ID:** c42c3e9c-c288-dd11-92da-001cc4696bcc  
**Office:** ACTION NEA  
**Original Classification:** CONFIDENTIAL  
**Original Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Original Previous Classification:** n/a  
**Original Previous Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Page Count:** 2  
**Previous Channel Indicators:** n/a  
**Previous Classification:** CONFIDENTIAL  
**Previous Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Reference:** 78 STATE 125073  
**Retention:** 0  
**Review Action:** RELEASED, APPROVED  
**Review Content Flags:**  
**Review Date:** 15 jun 2005  
**Review Event:**  
**Review Exemptions:** n/a  
**Review Media Identifier:**  
**Review Release Date:** n/a  
**Review Release Event:** n/a  
**Review Transfer Date:**  
**Review Withdrawn Fields:** n/a  
**SAS ID:** 2670476  
**Secure:** OPEN  
**Status:** NATIVE  
**Subject:** LETTER FROM PRESIDENT CARTER TO PRESIDENT SADAT  
**TAGS:** PPDC, EG, US, (SADAT, ANWAR), (CARTER, JIMMY)  
**To:** STATE  
**Type:** TE  
**vdkgvwkey:** odbc://SAS/SAS.dbo.SAS\_Docs/c42c3e9c-c288-dd11-92da-001cc4696bcc  
**Review Markings:**  
Sheryl P. Walter  
Declassified/Released  
US Department of State  
EO Systematic Review  
20 Mar 2014  
**Markings:** Sheryl P. Walter Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 20 Mar 2014